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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant	:	Khandros	
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

To Whom It May Concern:

In response to the final Office Action of August 18, 2006, the shortened statutory period for response to which has been extended to December 18, 2006 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time, Applicant requests that the above-identified application be amended under 37 CFR § 1.116 as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the list of claims that begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.